

## Local News

### ILLINOIS NEWS

"The measure of the revelation of the Prophets of God in this world, however must differ. Each and every one of them hath been the Bearer of a distinct Message, and hath been commissioned to reveal Himself through specific acts. It is for this reason that they appear to vary in their greatness. Their Revelation may be likened unto the light of the moon that sheddeth its radiance upon the earth. Though every time it appeareth it revealeth, a fresh measure of its brightness, yet its inherent splendor can never diminish, nor can its light suffer extinction." —From the Bahai sacred writings.

### PASTORS INSTALLATION

The membership of the Salem Baptist Church on Friday night held an installation, delivering the charge to the pastor, Rev. H. W. Donaldson, by the Honorable J. L. Horace, who is pastor of the Monumental Baptist Church, Chicago; President of the State Convention incorporated of Illinois, who delivered the Master Address to the Rev. H. W. Donaldson. Rev. J. Muirill who is Moderator of the Woodrider Asso., delivered a grand welcoming. Mrs. Helen Hite, Church Clerk and program chairman introduced the Mistress of Ceremonies, Mrs. H. J. Wells, Pres. of the Womens convention of Woodrider district and Supt. of the Salem Baptist Sunday school. Rev. C. E. Campbell read scripture and Rev. Fred Newbill prayed. Mrs. Leno White and Mrs. Hattie Winfield and Mrs. Hattie Anderson led several musical numbers. Mrs. J. W. Valentine pianist, played the processional for the Youth choir, Senior Choir, and the Gospel chorus. Offertory: Deacon Pierce and L. T. Tinsley and Mrs. Roscoe Tinsley. Social chairman: —Mrs. Alvin Foxwell and assistants. Turkey dinner was served in the parsonage and ice cream and cake in the lower parlors of the church. Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Donaldson reside in the parsonage on North 3rd Street.

io, Texas flew to St. Louis; Mo. enroute to the bedside of her mother Mrs. N. Penn, of North 5th St., who had been quite sick, but now is doing fine.

Rev. S. B. Brown, Kankakee divine healer, is visiting in the home of Rev. M. Rayno, of East Washington Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene M. Duffy, enroute to Peoria, visited with aunts, Mrs. Nanie McKay and Mrs. Pinkie Kirk.

Mrs. Elizabeth Stone of Muskegon, Mich., is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Harve Ross, of East Hill Street.

Rev. J. Womack, of Dixon, Tenn., visited with his sister, Mrs. Lillie McKinzie, of North Market Street. Mr. and Mrs. Kermit McKinzie of East Vine, were dinner hosts to the family and Dolores while Rev. McKinzie was in the city.

Mr. Albert McKinley, who had been a patient in the Outlook Sanatorium has returned to his home and is doing nicely. His grandson, Maurice, and six companions sang to him on his arrival; at his bedside.

### Justice Endicott Plans Main Street Office

Justice of the Peace Mark F. Endicott is preparing to open an office at 5 1/2 Main Street, on the second floor of the building occupied by Leeds shoe store. He will have the front room in the suite occupied by Constable Robert D. Williams, also a city of Champaign township official. Justice Endicott was police magistrate of Champaign from 1939 until his resignation Jan. 1, 1949. Prior to becoming police magistrate, he served three terms as a justice of the peace. He was elected to a four-year term as a justice last April.

### Marriage

Lovey Yarbo-Willis Dobbs; Urbana; Elmer R. Luther, and Ola Bea Seeley.

### Honored on Anniversary:

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Williams of North 5th Street, pleasantly honored Mr. and Mrs. Albert Connell and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Nelson on Oct. 1, their 30th year of marriage. The evening was spent playing games and lovely refreshments were served. Others present were: Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Boose, Mrs. Mary Young, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wilson and Mrs. William Shaw.

### PASTOR RETURNS

Rev. E. Taborn, pastor of the Bethel A.M.E. Church, was happily returned to Champaign after conference session held in Cairo, Illinois.

Mrs. Lillian Weiss of South Bend, Indiana, visited her mother, Mrs. Frank Weiss.

Mrs. I. Light of Detroit, Mich., who accompanied Mrs. Albert Connell from Dyesburg, Tenn. after visiting a sick relative, has returned to her home in Detroit, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. John Tabor of E. Eureka St. had as their houseguest a nephew, Mr. Mathews Johnson, who was enroute to Memphis, New York, and his home in Nebraska.

### CHAPTER TEA

The lovely home of Rev. and Mrs. King Nesbitt of East Church Street, was the setting of the Rose of Sharon No. 3 benefit Tea for the building fund on Sunday. Fall chrysanthemums of bronze was the table decorations. Mrs. A. Pontifort, Mrs. C. McMullins, Mrs. J. Miles, and Mrs. Witherington Wells. Mrs. R. Harris and spoon, assisted the chairman, Mrs. Mrs. Ed. Claridy poured at the table. The hostess, Mrs. Nesbitt, wore a lovely blue with orchid corsage. Mrs. Effie Taborn is Worthy Matron.

### RETURNED HOME:

Mrs. Ellen Eilders, member of the Bahai Faith who has been confined in her parents' home, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Snider, has returned to her home after convalescing from Polio in Salem, Ill.

Rev. G. W. Ward, of Chicago; an evangelist, is conducting meetings nightly at the Pilgrim Baptist Church and living in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Grandville Lee. Mrs. Lee is convalescing nicely at home. Rev. Fred Newbill is pastor.

Mrs. Ann Antwine, of Chicago, Ill. who came to her sister's bedside and last rites, has returned to Chicago, Ill. and Mr. Percy Gordon left with her on Friday and will later go South.

Mr. Mrs. Oscar Battle and two sons visited mother from New Jersey enroute to Mounds, Ill., and Clarkdale, La.

Mrs. T. T. Burke, of East Beardsley Ave. was called south because of the death of her brother.

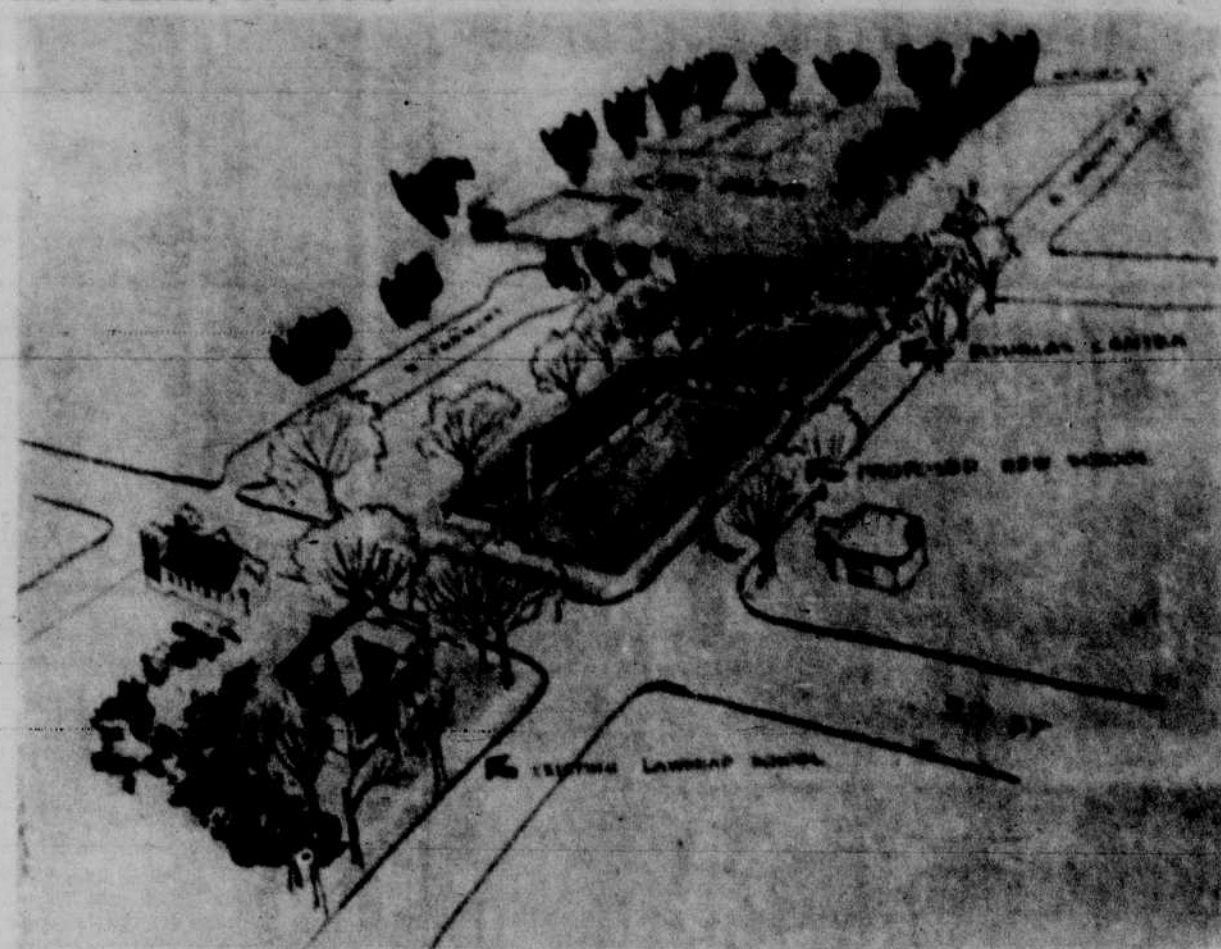
Rev. and Mrs. T. Thomas of Iowa, former assistant at the Bethel A.M.E. Church; visited in the Mrs. A. Moreley home enroute to the conference in Cairo. Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Sayles of North Poplar Street, have her father, Mr. Esco Harris, visiting from Atlanta, Ga.

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### LAWHEAD SCHOOL, NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT SHOWN.



This sketch by Edward Luder, head of the Community Plan staff, shows a suggested development of the Lawhead school in conjunction with the evolution of a compact, integrated neighborhood in that part of the community. The drawing shows the present building which eventually

must be abandoned and proposed new buildings to the east of it which would incorporate the latest school architecture techniques. The new buildings, for instance, would be all on one floor and would have an abundance of window space. The proximity of the Douglas community center and of

Eagle park is shown, indicating the possibility of making this into an excellent recreational area and neighborhood gathering place. This plan has been indorsed by the citizens advisory groups which have been consulted by the plan office on the various phases of the master plan.

## Planners Ask New Building For Lawhead

Expansion of the Lawhead school to the east is the cheapest step the Champaign community unit school district can take, according to an analysis of potential building sites made for the school board by the Community Plan office.

Champaign school directors are scheduled to take up this problem at a meeting at 8 p.m. today in an effort to solve a pressing problem brought on by overcrowding of the school.

Whether to spend money already voted for on an addition to the old building or to break out in a fresh direction with an eye to the eventual development of this whole neighborhood in a neighborhood plan confronts the directors.

Community planners have given close study to the Lawhead situation realizing that the imminent need may force a solution which will affect the entire neighborhood for decades.

The study they have made, which has the indorsement of the citizens' advisory committees which have been closely following the evolution of the master plan, indicates that what may appear to be the easiest solution now actually would prove expensive and merely complicate the picture.

They reason this way: Building a one-story addition to the present building will further "freeze" the problem in that area. After the money once is spent, on an addition it will be more difficult to break away from the old building built in 1907.

An addition to the school building merely would extend its present facilities. The out-of-date building probably would constrain the architect to carry on many of the old-fashioned school building principles in the design of the addition.

A new structure could incorporate the latest school designs and take advantage of the most modern techniques in classroom layout.

A new school site would permit the use of a new school ground, affording badly-needed additional play area. (The present .25 acres area is 50 per cent under accepted standards.)

One of the most important reasons, from a financial standpoint, the planning office has pointed out, is that the acquisition of ground to the east towards the Douglas community center would mean buying up the least valuable property in the area.

Statistics cited in a recent letter to William E. Clegg, chairman of the school board show that the buildings to the east of the present school are assessed at \$4,894, while those immediately to the west (the solution apparently favored now) are assessed at \$10,508.

The acquisition of ground to the north would mean taking over property valued at \$6,105, and another alternative solution which is considered least feasible of all would mean buying up property valued at from \$4,263 to \$6,210.

The last suggestion is inadvisable for several reasons, including the necessity of disposing as many as 21 persons whose homes would be acquired for building purposes.

By contrast, the direct route east of the school would mean taking over buildings housing only five to seven persons who could be accommodated in two new housing units, if these had to be provided.

In addition, sole of the alternative expansion programs would require the demolition of new or remodeled houses, while no recently constructed units are in the block where the school would expand under the plan office proposal.

The ultimate goal of the school expansion as proposed by the plan office is to integrate the new school with the Douglas community center and with the Eagle park to the north of the center.

In other cities cooperative programs have been worked out between school and park districts so that athletic programs, and other school and community outdoor activities can be held alike on school and park property, thus expanding the recreational offerings of both.

The Lawhead enrollment now is 130, with a capacity of 120 (not counting the two basement classrooms now being used as emergency measure).

Under the expansion program, the school would grow something like this:

This year and next four classrooms would be provided in a one-story separated structure, bringing the capacity up to 240 and affording additional acreage of .5 acres (three city blocks), the minimum for such a school.

During the period between now and 1968, the present old building would be abandoned and condemned and an eight-classroom building would be provided, all constructed around the new unit built in the first step of the program.

### Cheering The Shutins

The shutins at the County hospital, were honored by a group of 18 merry makers including Mrs. Clara Allen, Mrs. Adine Carter, and Mrs. Mildred Allen on Sunday. The youth sang: "Jewels, Boy and String, Joe Lewis, solo, Shoemaker Diana Hill, Jesus Loves Me—group reading—prayer for Sunday, Brenda Williams, Piano, Long, Long Ago, Alba Carter, recitation, Broken Doll, Joan Bailey, Sunbeams, group. These little cheer makers are the coming home concert and Little Mission Singers. Among them were found: Cleo Johnson, three Jasper Lewis, three Roberts, Hill Baines, Speed, Moses and Bailey. They need to be encouraged.

### Chorus has Meeting

Gospel Chorus of Salem Baptist church held its business meeting Monday evening in the home of Mrs. Lucille Clark, 1210 West Church St., Urbana, Mrs. C. Otto Bowles presided, Rev. W. H. Donald is pastor of the church.

gram. This would afford a total building site of one and one-half acres and a playground area of a five-acre neighborhood recreation area.

In the following 20 years the school plant would evolve into a 12-room, one-story building with total capacity of 360. These figures are based on anticipated growth of the neighborhood.

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### Meet the Illini



**AMOS JONES**  
Twenty-ninth of a Series  
Amos Jones, 195-pound Junior was moved from fullback to end by coach Ray Elloit this spring and started Illinois' opening game with Iowa State as a fill-in for the injured Slip Kersulis at right end.

Jones prepped at Lake Forest high school where he won eight letters. He patterns his play after Ike Owens, Illinois' fine end of two seasons back, and lists Ike as athletic ideal.

Jones' chief ambition at Ill. is to become a member of a Championship team. He likes basketball, baseball, track, and tennis as off season sports. Amos' ambition upon finishing school is to become a coach. His nickname is 'Mouse'. He is 23 years old and stands 6-1.

### ELKS MEET IN EXECUTIVE SESSION

The Executive Committee of the Illinois-Wisconsin Ass'n of I. B. P. O. E. of W. is called to meet in the city of Danville, Ill. as the guest of Illinois Lodge and Vermillion Temple Sunday, Oct. 16th at 10 a. m.

Some weeks ago the call went out from the office of State President, Dr. A. L. Frazier, and according to his plans, Sunday will be an important meeting of the committee. It is the first meeting since the 1949 convention of the body, and in view of the fact that the state of Illinois is to be host to the Grand Lodge in '50' much work will most likely be mapped out for future completion.

### State Elk Executive Dies

As we go to press today, Thursday, we have just been informed of the death in Chicago, Illinois, of Justo F. De Lemos, Director of the department of Economics of the Illinois-Wisconsin Association of the I. B. P. O. E. of W.

We have no details at this time.

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